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PATENT

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Brian L. Schmidt et al.  
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Filed: November 3, 2000  
Title: CONFIGURATIONS AND METHODS FOR MAKING CAPACITOR  
CONNECTIONS

Examiner: Andrew Dolinar  
Group Art Unit: 3747  
Docket No: 279.268US1

**PETITION FOR A FIVE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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In accordance with the provision of 37 CFR § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a five-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the Notice of Appeal filed April 5, 2006, said period of response being extended from June 5, 2006 to November 5, 2006 (a Sunday).

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